Board Meeting September 27, 2018

## APPOINT DEAN, COLLEGE OF MEDIA, URBANA

**Action:** Appoint Dean, College of Media

**Funding:** Tuition/State Appropriated Funds

The Chancellor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and Vice President, University of Illinois recommends the appointment of Tracy E. Sulkin, presently Professor of Political Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, as Dean, College of Media, on a term appointment September 28, 2018, through August 15, 2021.

Effective September 28, 2018, Dr. Sulkin will be appointed Dean, College of Media, non-tenured, on a twelve-month service basis, on 100 percent time, at an annual salary of \$216,500 (equivalent to an annual nine-month base salary of \$177,136.36 plus two-ninths annualization of \$39,363.64) plus an annual administrative increment of \$25,000, for a total annual salary of \$241,500.

She will continue to hold the rank of Professor of Political Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, on indefinite tenure, on an academic year service basis, on zero percent time, non-salaried.

Dr. Sulkin served as Dean Designate in the College of Media, September 16 through September 27, 2018, under the same conditions and salary arrangement. Dr.

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Sulkin succeeds Wojciech Chodzko-Zajko, who served as Interim Dean, College of Media, until September 15, 2018. Dr. Chodzko-Zajko remains Dean of the Graduate College.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure* and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

This nomination is made in consultation with department leaders, members of the executive committee, faculty, and staff in the College.

The Executive Vice President and Vice President for Academic Affairs concurs.

The President of the University recommends approval.

(A biosketch follows.)

## TRACY E. SULKIN

## Education

Western Washington University, Bellingham, B.A., 1997 University of Washington, Seattle, M.A., 1999, Ph.D., 2002

## Professional and Other Experience

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2002-08, Assistant Professor; 2008-13, Associate Professor; 2013-date, Professor, Department of Political Science, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; 2017-18, Interim Executive Associate Dean, College of Media